

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

--- The location of each paragraph to be deleted or replaced, and where the new paragraph or section is to be added, is set forth unambiguously below. A marked-up version of any replacement paragraph is provided. The text of new paragraphs or sections is not underlined. Any amendment (if any) to the abstract is treated as any other amendment to the specification.

- THE SPECIFICATION OF THE PATENT IS HEREBY AMENDED AS SET FORTH BELOW:

Please replace paragraph [0026] with the following amended paragraph:

[0026] Turning to *FIG. 5*, the purpose of the screen is to rank the executing venues (brokers) according to the performance benchmarks execution quality, volume impact, trader vote, and total volume. A panel **501** provides means for selecting a time period for analysis, with means for quickly setting standard time periods **503**. The results are shown in a table with columns Firm Name **504**, Quality **505** (execution quality), Impact **506** (percentage of market volume captured), Vote **507** (trader vote), Volume **508** (total volume traded). The figures in these columns are summaries, over the selected time period. By clicking on one of the column headings, the table will be sorted, normally in descending order, by the values in that column. Optionally, the information in the table can be made to pertain to one single symbol, by means of providing an input in panel **502**.